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**Quantity  
Field Seed  
Price List  
Spring 1942**

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## Quantity Field Seed Price List

**The Western Seed Co.**

DENVER, COLO.—MARCH 12, 1942

**IMPORTANT NOTICE ON PRICES**—Owing to extraordinary conditions due to war, crop shortages and failures, prices on this list must be subject to change without notice. If your order cannot be filled at these prices, you will be notified of any advance which may have occurred and given an opportunity to verify your order at the advanced rate.

The lowest quantity prices will be allowed on assorted orders. If your order totals 500 lbs., use the 500 lb. price on each variety; if it totals 1000 lbs., apply the 1000 lb. price, and so on.

**STRICTLY CASH WITH ORDER—F. O. B. DENVER**

THE WESTERN SEED COMPANY GIVES NO WARRANTY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AS TO DESCRIPTION, QUALITY, PRODUCTIVENESS OR ANY OTHER MATTER OF ANY SEEDS THEY SEND OUT, AND WILL NOT BE IN ANY WAY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CROP.

**ALFALFA**  
COMMON DOMESTIC  
Choice Grade

	Per 100 Lbs.		
	1-Bag	5-Bag	10-Bag
Colorado-Utah	\$28.00	\$27.75	\$27.50

**Gold Bee Brand**

Purity 98.50 or better. Packed in 100 lb. Branded Sealed Bags.

Colorado	\$34.00	\$33.75	\$33.50
Montana or Wyoming	35.00	34.75	34.50

**Gold Seal Brand**

Our GOLD SEAL Brand is an emblem of Quality and the Badge of Confidence. A long period of consistent Quality has built this Trust. Packed in 100 lb. Branded Sealed Bags. Purity 99.50 or better.

Eastern Utah	\$35.00	\$34.75	\$34.50
Colorado	34.00	33.75	33.50

**IMPORTED COMMON ALFALFA**

Stained 10% for identification. 98.50 pure and over; high germination. 100-lb. Plain Bags.

Argentine, Rio Negro District	\$22.50	\$22.25	\$22.00
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**BALTIC TYPE, Not Registered**

Meeker Baltic	\$38.50	\$38.25	\$38.00
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**GRIMM TYPE, Not Registered**

Montana or Wyoming	\$37.00	\$36.75	\$36.50
Colorado	37.00	36.75	36.50

**STATE REGISTERED VARIETIES**

Blue Tag Grimm, per 100 Lbs.	\$42.00	\$41.75	\$41.50
Blue Tag Meeker Baltic	44.00	43.75	43.50

**ALL SEEDS  
HAVE BEEN  
TESTED**

**CLOVERS**  
SWEET CLOVERS

	Per 100 Lbs.	1-Bag	5-Bag	10-Bag
White Blossom, Gold Seal Grade	\$13.00	\$12.75	\$12.50	
Yellow Blossom, Gold Seal Grade	13.00	12.75	12.50	
Fancy Grades of both varieties	\$1.00 per 100 lbs. less.			

**OTHER CLOVERS**

	Per 100 Lbs.	1-Bag	5-Bag	10-Bag
Alsike, Gold Seal Grade	\$25.00	\$24.75	\$24.50	
Alsike, Fancy	23.00	22.75	22.50	
Medium Red, Gold Seal	23.00	22.75	21.75	
Medium Red, Fancy	21.00	20.75	20.50	
Mammoth Red	26.00	25.75	25.50	
LESPEDEZA, Korean Clover	10.00	9.90	9.75	
Strawberry Clover, lb.	\$ .90; 5-lbs. \$4.25; 25-lbs. \$20			
Ladino Clover	lb. \$1.25; 5-lbs. \$6.15; 25-lbs. \$25			

**WHITE DUTCH LAWN CLOVER**

	Per 100 Lbs.	1-Bag	5-Bag	10-Bag
Gold Seal Grade, lb.	\$ 1.25	\$ 6.00	\$11.50	\$27.50

**KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS**

	Per 100 Lbs.	3 Lbs.	5 Lbs.	25 Lbs.	100 Lbs.
Extra Fancy Grade	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.50	\$ 7.50	\$23.75	

**GOLD SEAL LAWN GRASS MIXTURE**

	Per 100 Lbs.	3 Lbs.	5 Lbs.	25 Lbs.	100 Lbs.
Well Balanced Mixture	\$ 1.30	\$ 1.75	\$ 7.50	\$27.00	

**WHEAT**

	Per 100 Lbs.	1-Bag	5-Bag	10-Bag
Ceres	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.40	\$ 2.25	
Marquis	3.15	3.05	2.90	
Reward	3.15	3.05	2.90	
Thatcher	3.15	3.05	2.90	
Buckwheat	4.35	4.15	4.00	
Speltz or Spring Emmer	4.00	3.90	3.75	

QUALITY IS A BETTER BASIS FOR COMPARISON THAN PRICE

HAY AND PASTURE GRASSES

	10-Lb.	50-Lb.	100-Lb.
Bromus Inermis (Brome).....	\$ .22	\$ .21	\$20.50
Bromus Inermis, Fancy.....	.21	.20	19.00
Tall Mountain Brome.....	.25	.24	23.00
Blue Gramma Grass.....	.27	.26	25.50
Orchard Grass.....	.36	.35	34.00
Meadow Fescue.....	.30	.29	28.00
Red Top, Gold Seal Grade.....	.20	.18	17.00
Timothy, Gold Seal Grade.....	.15	.11	10.00
Timothy and Alsike (20%).....	.15	.12	11.75
Timothy and Alsike (30%).....	.16	.13	12.75
Morton's Pasture Mixture.....	.28	.26	25.50
Alkaline Mixture.....	.25	.23	22.50
Domestic Rye Grass.....	.20	.11	10.50
Johnson Grass.....	.11	.10	9.25
Reed Canary Grass.....	.50	.48	47.00
Crested Wheat Grass.....	.21	.20	19.00
Crested Wheat, Fancy.....	.20	.18	17.50
Tall Slender Wheat Grass.....	.21	.20	19.00
Western Wheat Grass.....	.23	.22	21.00
Buffalo Grass, per lb.....			\$ 2.50

MILLETS

	Per 100 Lbs.	1-Bag	5-Bag	10-Bag
Siberian.....	\$ 3.50	\$ 3.40	\$ 3.25	
Hog or Manitoba.....	2.55	2.45	2.30	
Big German.....	3.50	3.40	3.25	
White Wonder.....	3.00	2.90	2.75	

SORGHUMS

	\$ 2.75	\$ 2.65	\$ 2.55
Amber Type.....	3.25	3.15	3.00
Sumac or Red Top Type.....	3.25	3.15	3.00
Red-Orange Type.....	3.25	3.15	3.00
Ribbon Cane.....	3.00	2.90	2.75
Honey Drip Type.....	3.50	3.40	3.25
Imp. Coes Sorgo.....	2.75	2.65	2.50
Registered Coes Sorgo.....	3.50	3.40	3.25
Sweet Stalk Kafir.....	3.00	2.90	2.75
Kafir Corn, White.....	2.75	2.65	2.50
Colby Milo Maize, 60 days.....	2.75	2.65	2.50
Sooner Milo, 60 days.....	2.50	2.40	2.25
Hegari.....	3.00	2.90	2.75
Johnson Grass.....	9.25	9.15	9.00
Broom Corn.....	5.00		
SUDAN GRASS, Pedigreed.....	3.75	3.65	3.50
Extra Fancy.....	3.50	3.40	3.25
Fancy.....	3.25	3.15	3.00

BARLEY

	\$ 3.25	\$ 3.15	\$ 3.00
Bald, Hulless or Nepal.....	2.50	2.40	2.25
Trebi, Bearded.....	2.50	2.40	2.25
Club, Mariout.....	2.50	2.40	2.25
Registered Colsess.....	3.15	3.00	2.90
Lico (New Smooth Awn).....	2.60	2.50	2.25
Beecher.....	3.15	3.00	2.90
Spartan.....	2.50	2.40	2.25

OATS

	\$ 3.00	\$ 2.90	\$ 2.75
Bliss, White Side.....	2.75	2.65	2.50
Colorado No. 37.....	2.75	2.65	2.50
Victory.....	2.75	2.65	2.50
Brunker.....	3.00	2.90	2.75
Markton, Registered.....			

RYE

	Per 100 Lbs.
Spring.....	\$ 2.60
Fall.....	2.40

OPEN-POLLINATED FIELD CORN

Crawford Yellow Dent.....	\$ 3.50	\$ 3.40	\$ 3.25
Colorado Yellow Dent.....	3.25	3.15	3.00
Minnesota No. 13.....	3.25	3.15	3.00
Colorado No. 13.....	3.25	3.15	3.00
Reid's Yellow Dent.....	4.00	3.90	3.75
Western White Dent.....	3.25	3.15	3.00
Colorado Giant Fodder.....	4.00	3.90	3.75
White Australian.....	3.75	3.65	3.50
Calico.....	3.50	3.40	3.25
Blue Squaw.....	3.75	3.65	3.50
Rainbow Flint.....	4.00	3.90	3.75
Gehu Yellow Flint.....	4.00	3.90	3.75
Northwestern Red Dent.....	3.25	3.15	3.00
Eureka, Eastern Grown.....	7.75	7.50	

N. B.—In place of open-pollinated silage corns—such as Leaming Gold Mine, Reids Yellow Dent, Iowa Silver Mine, and Red Cob Ensilage, we recommend Pride B-76 and Pride B-77 and Pride Silo Blends.

HYBRID SEED CORN

Special Bulletins on each variety of Tru-Krost and Pride Hybrids furnished upon request.

Tru-Krost Brands

Open Formulas—State Registered and Sealed	Minhybrid 301 (110 day)	Minhybrid 403 (110 day)
Wisconsin 570 (110 day)	Wisconsin 606 (110 day)	
Wisconsin 625 (115 day)	Wisconsin 680 (120 day)	
	1 Bushel	5 Bushel

10 Bushel	\$ 6.75	\$ 6.65	\$ 6.55
Flat Kernels, Per Bushel.....			

Pride Brands

Private Formulas—  
Sealed by Breeder

B-17.....	90-95 day
C-53.....	107 day
D-32.....	100 day
B-76.....	115 day
D-56.....	107 day
B-77.....	115 day

	1 Bushel	5 Bushel	10 Bushel
Flat Kernels, Per Bushel.....	\$ 7.25	\$ 7.15	\$ 7.05

Pride Silo Fodder Blends

Blend No. 3, 100 (110 day)	Large Rounds
Blend No. 4, 105 (115 day)	Medium Rounds
Per Bushel .....	\$ 3.50

Colorado Hybrids

Open Formula—State Registered and Sealed  
Iowa 939 (105 day)

	1 Bushel	5 Bushel	10 Bushel
Per Bushel .....	\$ 5.25	\$ 5.15	\$ 5.00

**COLORADO CUSTOMERS—Do not fail to include Sales Tax ON ALL TAXABLE ITEMS**

**FIELD PEAS AND SOJA BEANS** Per 100 Lbs.  
1-Bag 5-Bag

San Luis Valley (Colorado Stock Peas).....	\$ 4.50	\$ 4.25
White Canada Type Field Peas.....	4.75	4.50
Southern Black Eye Peas (Dryland).....	8.25	8.00
Whip-Poor-Will Cow Peas.....	6.00	5.75
Soja Beans, Early Yellow Manchu.....	6.50	6.25
Soja Beans, Illini Yellow.....		

**FIELD BEANS**

Pinto Recleaned .....	\$ 5.75	\$ 5.50
Great Northern .....	6.25	6.00
Navy or Pea Bean.....	8.00	7.75
Large Lima .....	12.00	11.75
Baby Lima .....	8.00	7.75

**MISCELLANEOUS SEEDS**

Per 100 Lbs.			
1-Bag			
Sand or Hairy Vetch.....	\$14.25	\$14.00	
Dwarf Essex Rape.....	18.00	17.75	
Sunflower, Large, Black, suitable for Eating and Planting.....	10.50	10.25	

**FLAX**

Bison, Extra Fancy Grade.....	\$ 7.50	\$ 7.25	\$ 7.00
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**PEANUTS**

10 Lb.	50 Lb.	100 Lb.	
Improved Large Virginia, lb.....	\$ .20	\$ .18	\$ .17
Spanish, per lb.....	.20	.18	.17

SEED POTATOES.....	Write for Prices
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**STOCK BEETS**

Golden Tankard; Mammoth Long Red; Sludstrup; Giant Feeding; Half Sugar; Sugar Beet.	
Lb. 5-Lb. 10-Lb. 25-Lb. \$ 1.00 \$ 4.75 \$ 9.25 \$23.00	

INOCULATE ALL LEGUME SEEDS WITH

**NITRAGIN**

1898 — FORTY-FOUR YEARS OF SERVICE — 1942

When ordering, Always state name of seed.

**ALFALFA, all Clovers**

Size	Retail
½ bu. each.....	\$ .30
1 bu. each.....	.50
2½ bu. each.....	1.00

**LESPEDEZA**

Size	Retail
Small (Inoculates up to 50 lbs. seed) .....	\$ .35
Large (Inoculates up to 100 lbs. seed) .....	.50

**PEAS (All Varieties)**

**VETCHES (All Varieties)**

½ bu. each.....	\$ .25
1 bu. each.....	.35
1½ bu. each.....	.50
12½ bu. each.....	3.50

**SOYBEANS, LIMA  
BEANS, COW PEAS,  
PEANUTS**

Small (Inoculates up to 120 lbs. seed) .....	\$ .30
*5 bu. each .....	.55
25 bu. (One can) .....	2.50
*30 bu. (6-5 bu. cans) ..	3.25

**BEANS**

**String, Wax, Kidney**

½ bu. each.....	\$ .25
1 bu. each.....	.35
1½ bu. each.....	.50

\*The 30 bu. size as listed above is a carton which contains  
six 5 bu. size cans.

**GRANULAR "AERO" CYAMID**

Granular "Aero" Cyamid is an air-nitrogen product in which nitrogen plant food is combined with soil-improving lime. Contains 21% nitrogen and 70% hydrated lime. It's non-leaching nitrogen, it's hydrated lime and it's partial sterilizing effect on the soil when used liberally, are very important supplemental characteristics.

(100-Lbs...\$3.00) (1000-Lbs...\$28.50) (Ton...\$55.00)

**POTATO FERTILIZERS**

6-30-0 .....	100-Lb. \$ 3.00	1000-Lb. \$29.00	Ton. \$57.00
10- 4-8 .....	2.15	20.00	39.00
10-12-8 .....	2.75	26.50	52.00
10-20-0 .....	3.00	29.00	57.00

**FARM FERTILIZERS**

4-12-4 Mineral Base .....	\$ 2.40	\$22.50	\$43.00
4-12-4 Organic Base .....	2.25	21.00	40.00
10-16-8 .....	3.00	29.00	57.00

**FERTILIZER ELEMENTS**

Sulphate of Ammonia.....	\$ 3.00	\$27.00	\$53.00
Treble Superphosphate .....	3.25	29.50	58.00
Nitrate of Soda.....	3.50	34.00	65.00
Muriate of Potash.....	3.25	.....	.....
Sulphate of Iron.....	3.75	36.50	.....
Potassium Sulphate .....	2.75	.....	.....
Aluminum Sulphate .....	3.65	.....	.....
Steam Bone Meal.....	3.25	31.00	60.00

**SULPHUR**

Triangle, Commercial Powdered .....	2.65	25.75	50.00
Owl, Superfine Dusting.....	3.15	30.75	60.00
Electric Superadhesive Dusting .....	3.60	35.75	70.00

**BLATCHFORD'S CALF MEAL**

100-Lb. Bags, each.....	\$ 4.95
25-Lb. Bags, each.....	1.45

**BLATCHFORD'S CALF PELLETS**

100-Lb. Bags, each.....	\$ 4.95
50-Lb. Bags, each.....	2.50
25-Lb. Bags, each.....	1.45

**CONTROLLING OX WARBLE**

OX WARBLE is most easily controlled when the maggots are in the backs of the cattle. Rotenone has been found to be successful and economical. Treatments should begin as soon as the lumps appear under the skin. We recommend 4 Pints Berako Penetrant Rotenone to 10 gallons of water applied liberally as a wash to the backs of infected cattle. This is approximately enough for 80 cows. Berako for Cattle Grub Use..... Quarts \$2.50

**WEED BURNER**

We recommend Dobbins No. 210 Superbilt Flame Sprayer. It burns, heats, disinfects and sterilizes and has many uses throughout the year. 4-gallon capacity burns kerosene, distillate or stove oil. Balanced handle design for ease and comfort in operation. Weight 16½ pounds \$15.65 each. See Page 76 of Catalog.

## CHEMICALS FOR TREATING SEEDS

### CERESAN

For Wheat, Oats, Barley for SMUT. It usually increases yield. One-half ounce treats a bushel.

4-oz..... 30c 1-Lb. Tin.... 80c 5-Lb. Tin.... \$3.40

### 2% CERESAN

For Sorghum Seed. Reduces seed decay and damping off. 2 oz. per bushel.

1 Lb..... 75c 5 Lbs..... \$3.30

### SEMESAN BEL

For Seed Potatoes—

1 lb. to 7½ gallons Water treats 60 to 80 bushel. Just immerse thoroughly and take potatoes out.

2 oz. 30c 1 Lb. \$1.65 5 Lbs. \$7.15 25 Lbs. \$33.25

### BLUE VITRIOL

1 Lb. 20c 5 Lbs. 90c 10 Lbs. \$1.50 25 Lbs. \$3.50

### COPPERCARB—(18% to 20% Copper)

Smut Spores in Wheat are easily killed.

5-lb. Cartons ..... Each \$ .90  
50-lb. Case (10 5's) ..... Case 8.10

### COPPER CARBONATE—(50% plus Copper)

Two and one-half times as strong as Coppercarb.

5-lb. Cartons ..... Each \$1.50 10, 5-lb..... \$13.75



CERES  
Goddess of Grain

This season it has not been possible to obtain Iowa Goldmine, Improved Leaming, Red Cob, Ensilage, Reid's Yellow Dent, open-pollinated varieties used for ensilage purposes as seed corn growers are now producing hybrids. As worthy and satisfactory substitutes we recommend Pride B-76, Pride B-77 and Tru-Krost Wisconsin 680. All three of which have shown good preference in many Colorado districts.

### PRIDE B76 AND B77—115 DAY HYBRIDS

These are full season varieties of exceptional size with all around qualities of root, stalk, leaf and ear. They produce large thick ears and very deep, well dented kernels on a small cob. Stalks are stiff, shank short and strong. B-76 is a trifle earlier than B-77 and ears are a trifle smoother. Well suited for Arkansas Valley and similar districts for grain and fodder and in place of silage corns such as Leaming, Iowa Goldmine, Reid's Yellow Dent and Red Cob Ensilage.

### PRIDE HYBRID—Silo Fodder Blend

A blend of selected, evenly graded round kernels for listing and drill planting.

Provides the desirable qualities of good hybrid corn—(high yields of fine quality grain and forage; stiff, disease and drouth resistant plants) plus the more prolonged pollinating period of open pollinated corn,—all at prices substantially below that of the regular flat kernels.